

RECEIVED  
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

JUN. 9. 2006 2:04PM

MOFO 28TH FL

JUN 09 2006

NO. 696 P. 1

**MORRISON | FOERSTER**

425 MARKET STREET  
SAN FRANCISCO  
CALIFORNIA 94105-2482

TELEPHONE: 415.268.7000  
FACSIMILE: 415.268.7522

WWW.MOFO.COM

MORRISON & FOERSTER LLP  
NEW YORK, SAN FRANCISCO,  
LOS ANGELES, PALO ALTO,  
SAN DIEGO, WASHINGTON, D.C.,  
DENVER, NORTHERN VIRGINIA,  
ORANGE COUNTY, SACRAMENTO,  
WALNUT CREEK, CENTURY CITY  
TOKYO, LONDON, BEIJING,  
SHANGHAI, HONG KONG,  
SINGAPORE, BRUSSELS

To:

NAME:	FACSIMILE:	TELEPHONE:
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office ATTN: CENTRALIZED FAX CENTER	(571) 273-8300	(571) 272-4105

FROM: Peter J. Yim  
Reg. No. 44,417

DATE: June 9, 2006

Number of pages with cover page:	21	
-------------------------------------	----	--

Preparer of this slip has confirmed that facsimile number given is PJY1/8566  
correct:

**CAUTION - CONFIDENTIAL**

This facsimile contains confidential information which may also be privileged. Unless you are the addressee (or authorized to receive for the addressee), you may not copy, use, or distribute it. If you have received it in error, please advise Morrison & Foerster LLP immediately by telephone or facsimile and return it promptly by mail.

**Comments:**

**PLEASE PROCESS THE ATTACHED.**

U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/816,474  
For: CHARACTER DEFORMATION PIPELINE FOR COMPUTER-  
GENERATED ANIMATION  
By: Miguel A. SEPULVEDA  
Our Reference: 59028-20005.00

Attached is the following:

1. Transmittal (1 Page)
2. Amendment Under 37 CFR 1.111 (19 pages)

sf-2143913

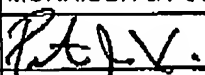
JUN 09 2006

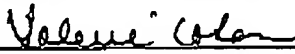
PTO/SB/21 (09-04)

Approved for use through 07/31/2008. OMB 0651-0031  
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

<b>TRANSMITTAL FORM</b>  <i>(to be used for all correspondence after initial filing)</i>	Application Number	10/816,474	
	Filing Date	March 31, 2004	
	First Named Inventor	Miguel A. SEPULVEDA	
	Art Unit	2671	
	Examiner Name	S. Broome	
Total Number of Pages in This Submission	20	Attorney Docket Number	590282000500

ENCLOSURES (Check all that apply)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Fee Transmittal Form <input type="checkbox"/> Fee Attached <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amendment/Reply (19 pages) <input type="checkbox"/> After Final <input type="checkbox"/> Affidavits/declaration(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Extension of Time Request <input type="checkbox"/> Express Abandonment Request <input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement <input type="checkbox"/> Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Reply to Missing Parts/Incomplete Application <input type="checkbox"/> Reply to Missing Parts under 37 CFR 1.52 or 1.53	<input type="checkbox"/> Drawing(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Licensing-related Papers <input type="checkbox"/> Petition <input type="checkbox"/> Petition to Convert to a Provisional Application <input type="checkbox"/> Power of Attorney, Revocation Change of Correspondence Address <input type="checkbox"/> Terminal Disclaimer <input type="checkbox"/> Request for Refund <input type="checkbox"/> CD, Number of CD(s) _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Landscape Table on CD	<input type="checkbox"/> After Allowance Communication to TC <input type="checkbox"/> Appeal Communication to Board of Appeals and Interferences <input type="checkbox"/> Appeal Communication to TC (Appeal Notice, Brief, Reply Brief) <input type="checkbox"/> Proprietary Information <input type="checkbox"/> Status Letter <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other Enclosure(s) (please identify below): Facsimile Cover Sheet (not counted as part of this submission)
<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; min-height: 40px;">Remarks</div>		
SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT		
Firm Name	MORRISON & FOERSTER LLP (Customer No. 20872)	
Signature		
Printed name	Peter J. Yim	
Date	June 9, 2006	Reg. No. 44,417

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the Patent and Trademark Office, facsimile no. (571) 273-8300, on the date shown below.	
Dated: June 9, 2006	Signature:  (Valerie Cohen)

sf-2101792

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the Patent and Trademark Office, facsimile no. (571) 273-8300, on the date shown below.

Dated: June 9, 2006Signature: Valerie Cohen

(Valerie Cohen)

Docket No.: 590282000500  
(PATENT)**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of:  
Miguel A. SEPULVEDA

Application No.: 10/816,474

Confirmation No.: 1208

Filed: March 31, 2004

Art Unit: 2671

For: CHARACTER DEFORMATION PIPELINE  
FOR COMPUTER-GENERATED ANIMATION

Examiner: S. A. Broome

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111**

MS Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the non-final Office Action dated March 9, 2006 (Paper No. 232006), for which a response is due on June 9, 2006. Accordingly, this response is timely filed. Reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims, as amended, in light of the remarks presented herein are respectfully requested.

sf-2101793